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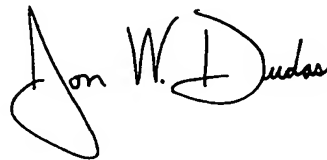
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 1, Line 45: "13b" should be -- 13a --  
Column 5, Line 64: "an" should be -- a --  
Column 10, Line 2: "shortened" should be -- shorter --

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a cursive "Dudas".

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